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) Examiner:

Application No.: 09/830,419

) MUSSER, B.J.

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) Art Unit:

For: COMPOSITE BODY WITH A

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(X) No additional fee is required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Number Extra	Rate	FEE
Total claims	26	-	28	X	x\$18	0
Independent claims	1	-	3	X	x\$88	0
Multiple dependent claim added					\$300	0
				TOTAL\$ 0		
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- ( ) A Petition for Extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a).
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- (X) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this  
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 applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and  
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Respectfully submitted

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This communication is in response to the Final Office Action in the subject patent application mailed September 21<sup>st</sup>, 2004. Please amend this application as indicated below.